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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

KENICHI FUJITA, ET AL

Serial No. 09/204,142

Filed: December 3, 1998

: Group Art Unit: 2611

: Examiner: Hunter B. LONSBERRY

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPARING AND TRANSMITTING
ELECTRONIC PROGRAM INFORMATION AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING
ELECTRONIC PROGRAM GUIDE FROM THE ELECTRONIC PROGRAM
INFORMATION

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the office action dated April 24, 2002, the period for response having been extended for one (1) month to expire August 24, 2002 by reason of a petition and a fee therefore, kindly amend the above identified patent application as follows:

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly replace the specification as originally filed with a SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION attached hereto.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel claims 1-46 and substitute the following claims therefore:

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